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METHODOLOGY/SYSTEM FOR THE
ELECTRONIC SALES, DISTRIBUTION,
STORAGE, MANIPULATION, RETRIEVAL,
PLAYBACK, AND COPYRIGHT PROTECTION
OF DIGITAL AUDIO MUSIC

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15230

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IN THE CLAIMS

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Cancel Claims 1-10.

Please add the following claims:

11. A method for transmitting a desired digital audio
music signal stored on a first memory to a second memory
comprising the steps of:

transferring money to a party controlling use of the
first memory from a party controlling use of the second memory;

connecting electronically the first memory with the
second memory such that the digital signal can pass therebetween;

transmitting the digital signal from the first memory to
the second memory; and

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